

November 2, 2025

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms — 1 Peter 4:10

#### 21st SUNDAY OF PENTECOST

### WE GATHER TO GLORIFY GOD

#### **WELCOME & INTRODUCTION**

\*OPENING HYMN NO. 654

IN THE LORD...

In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful (piano plays the first time, congregation joins the second time through)



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#### WE ARE RENEWED THROUGH GOD'S GRACE

**SILENCE** 

**PRAYER** 

Inhale: May I always notice

Exhale: all the ways you are providing.

Inhale: I release the myth of scarcity,

Exhale: I embrace the liturgy of abundance.

## **WE HEAR GOD'S POWERFUL WORD**

SCRIPTURE Luke 19:1-10 (NT pg 82), Luke 17:11-19 (NT pg 80)

**HOMILY** 

CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

## THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

SILENT PRAYERS OF PREPARATION

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

Eat This Bread

(As the congregation comes forward, repeat the refrain)



### WE ARE SENT OUT TO BE THE CHURCH

\*HYMN NO. 748

TALLIS' CANON

Go With Us, Lord (piano plays once, congregation joins the second time)

Go with us Lord and guide the way through this and every coming day, that in your spirit strong and true, our lives may be a gift to you.

## SUNDAY CALENDAR

Sur		PRAYER WORSHIP SERVICE	Sanctuary	
11/2	9:00	SERVE Weekend	Onsite and Offsite	

**FOOD DRIVE UPDATE** In October, food drive contributions were down from other months. Donations can be brought to the back door of the church and placed inside. We ask for continued generosity while our church is under renovation.

**WOMEN'S RETREAT** Save the date for the Women's Retreat- February 6-8th 2026 at Johnsonburg Camp & Retreat Center in Johnsonburg, NJ.

**UNDERGROUND RAILROAD BUS TOUR** We will be having another bus tour from the African American Museum of Bucks County, this time for the upper sections of Bucks County as they pertain to the Underground Railroad, on **Saturday, January 17th.** The cost is \$60 per person and covers lunch. See e-news for sign up.

**GIFT CARD DRIVE** Help us send 100 \$20 gift cards from Giant to Fisherman's Mark to send to those who have lost their SNAP benefits for the month of November! Gift cards can be sent to the church office.

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** There will be a congregational meeting on **Sunday, November 9th** immediately after the 9 AM worship service for the

purpose of electing deacons and elders, a Vice President for Thompson Memorial Presbyterian Church, and to approve a loan from the Presbytery.

#### CHILDREN AND YOUTH

KIDS CLUB	Friday November 14 <sup>th</sup>	Kids Club is for children 4-12 years old. We		
KIDS CLOD				
	5:00 PM – 7:00 PM	provide dinner, play games, and complete a		
	(Offered every 2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	service project.		
KIDS CHOIRS, Sundays at 10:00		Rotating rehearsals for groups that perform during		
HANDBELLS,	(starting in September)	worship about once a month. All abilities and ages		
AND CHIMES	Community Room	welcome. Led by Tricia Murphy		
ROOTED IN	Sundays at 10:00 AM	Students in grades 9-12th will be studying/reading		
THE WORD	(starting September 21)	Crazy Love by Francis Chan. Led by Zena		
	Kids Ministry Rooms	Tredinnick-Kirby and Garrett Bostwick		
THOMPSON Sundays at 6:00 PM		Students grades 6-12th grade meet for study,		
YOUTH The Lounge		games, and fellowship. Led by Zena		
GROUP		Tredinnick-Kirby		
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#### **SMALL GROUPS**

ALPHA OMEGA	November 9 <sup>th</sup>	AO gathers for either a book or Bible study, fellowship		
	10:00 AM	and mission. Led by Marci Capel		
	Room 132			
MONDAY Mondays at 9:30		Topics rotate between movie discussion, Bible study,		
MORNING	AM	faith and the news, and book studies.		
WOMEN'S	Community Room	Led by Sue Wert		
MINISTRY				
TUESDAY 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup>		This group gathers for fellowship, book discussions, and		
MORNING	Tuesday at 9:30	time in prayer.		
MEN'S GROUP	AM	Led by Mike Wert		
	Community Room			
SERMON	Thursdays at	Join us for Bible Study and laughter. We will use this		
TALKS	9:30 AM	time to read through and unpack the scripture for the		
		upcoming Sunday.		

ART HISTORY 3rd Tuesdays		This group examines how artists across eras have	
	(September thru	expressed their lives and shaped culture, with a focus on	
	April) at 6:00 PM	gender equality and celebrating diverse voices, past and	
	Lounge	present. Led by Zena Tredinnick-Kirby	
Contact group leaders by visiting tmpc.org/small-groups			

# **ONGOING OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES**

FOOD DRIVE	Wednesday November 19 <sup>th</sup>	You can leave donations from 10:00 to 10:30 AM that day at our food pantry, located inside the church, or during office hours before the event. Led by Susan Achenbach
TRENTON AREA SOUP KITCHEN (TASK)	Thursday November 20 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday November 25 <sup>th</sup> 9:45 AM -1:00 PM	Those who want to carpool meet at the TMPC parking lot at 9:15 AM. Led by Chuck Green
COMMUNITY MEAL	Sunday November 9 <sup>th</sup> 12:15-1:15 PM	TMPC hosts a free meal open to everyone in our church family and the community. All of our meals feature a main dish, with potluck sides, salads, and desserts. Led by Melissa Michael
FISHERMAN'S MARK	Wednesday November 5 <sup>th</sup> 8:30 AM	Meets monthly to put together 100 meals for Fisherman's Mark, and they are then delivered weekly to those who cannot get to the food pantry. See SUG (when live) for meeting location. Led by Susan Achenbach and Cheryl Boyle nd contact information for each outreach event by

See more information, sign-ups, and contact information for each outreach event by seeing the e-news or visiting tmpc.org/mission